## LIVESTOCK SPECIALIST III

## NATURE OF WORK IN THIS CLASS:

This is complex professional work involved in the formulation and implementation of livestock development and protection schemes.

Employees in this class perform the full range of complex professional duties including independent work in specialized areas of the profession. Employees often serve as team or group leaders over less experienced professional staff, or may supervise a program unit.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF WORK: (These examples do not list all the duties which may be assigned; any one position may not include all the duties listed.)

Conducts experiments and research for the development of animal husbandry.

Develops and implements public education programs on the development of animal husbandry.

Evaluates environmental impact statements as they relate to animal husbandry.

Participates in the formulation of policies, regulations and management plans.

Conducts specialized investigative and research work.

Prepares scientific and technical reports.

Performs related duties as required.

## MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:

Knowledge of the principles, practices and techniques of animal science as they relate to the animal husbandry program.

Knowledge of basic biological and agricultural sciences.

Ability to formulate and implement animal husbandry schemes.

Ability to interpret, apply and make decisions in accordance with program guidelines.

Ability to analyze animal husbandry operations and recommend improved techniques and practices to enhance program effectiveness.

Ability to supervise the work of others may be required.

Ability to interpret, apply and make decisions in accordance with program guidelines.

Ability to work effectively with employees and the public.

Ability to communicate effectively, orally and in writing.

Ability to maintain records and prepare technical and scientific reports.

## MINIMUM EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

- (a) Two years of experience as a Livestock Specialist II or equivalent work and graduation from a recognized college or university with a Bachelor's degree in animal science or related fields; or
- (b) Any equivalent combination of experience and training beyond the Bachelor's degree which provides the minimum knowledge, abilities and skills.

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